



HONOLULU HELPS INVENT SEAPLANE

R. E. Dexter (Ruby), Formerly of
Myrtles, Doing Well In Auck-
land In Automobile Game

R. A. Dexter familiarly known to many friends in Honolulu and to his former associates of the Myrtle Boat Club as "Ruby," has turned inventor in far off Australia and according to the Auckland Weekly News in connection with Leo A. and Vivian C. Walsh has patented and successfully demonstrated a seaplane.

The following is a brief account of the accomplishments of Messrs. Walsh, Dexter and Walsh taken from the Auckland Weekly News:

"From mid-day onwards on Thursday, at intervals, a seaplane was seen circling above the Waitemata. This was no mere attempt at aviation; instead, there were long flights, which demonstrated the efficiency of the seaplane, which has been constructed locally by two Auckland engineers—Messrs. Leo A. Walsh and Vivian C. Walsh with the assistance of Mr. R. A. Dexter.

"For some months past the seaplane has been subjected to a series of thorough tests, and several successful short flights have been made, but it was not until Thursday that any long flights were attempted, and it was on that day that the pilot was accompanied by a passenger.

"At a height above the water, varying from sixty feet to 300 feet, the seaplane circled over the harbor flying wonderfully steady.

"The success of the seaplane was again demonstrated Saturday, when five flights were made by Mr. Vivian Walsh from the bay of Orakau, Auckland, where the machine is housed. On three of the flights Mr. Walsh took a passenger, and on the fourth he flew sixty miles. On Sunday morning he made three ascents, and took a passenger on two occasions.

R. A. Dexter, associated with the Walshs in the seaplane, formerly lived here and was well known for his rowing as a member of the Myrtle Boat Club and also as the champion bicycle rider of the Island. Several years ago he embarked to Auckland and entered the automobile business and is now owner of one of the biggest automobile concerns in Australia as well as the representative of several of the prominent makes of American, English and French cars.

JACK NESS HANGS UP NEW BATTING RECORD

SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—Following up his performance of hitting safely in forty consecutive ball games, Jack Ness, first baseman of the Oakland Coast League team, Tuesday afternoon again hit safely and also yesterday, making the forty-second consecutive game in which he has hit safely. Ness began hitting May 31, and up to July 3, when he equaled Ty Cobb's record of forty games hit to be hit 116 times and scored 55 hits. Cobb's record for the 40 games was 78 hits. Chester Chadbourne of Portland was the previous Coast League record holder with 28 games.

In the second game of a double-header played July 4, Ness did not get his hit until the eleventh inning.

LAUBIS TO SWIM AGAINST OUR DUKE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
SAN FRANCISCO, July 14.—Herman Laubis, who has entered for the hundred and two hundred yards, mile and five miles at the coming great swimming meet in connection with the Panama Pacific Exposition here, left for this city yesterday.

STRACHAN BEATS LONG IN EXPOSITION TENNIS

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SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—In a well-played match of five sets, John Strachan yesterday defeated Melville W. Long, in the Exposition Tennis tournament.

Mrs. WINSLOW'S
SOOTHING SYRUP
An Old and Well Tried Remedy
For all the little ailments of children
Cough, Colic, Diarrhea, Fever, Sore Throat,
Whooping Cough, and all the troubles of
infancy and childhood. It is the best remedy
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Sold by Druggists. Be sure and ask for
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

JACK READ AFTER THE CHAMPIONSHIP

Australian Fighter Expects To
Hook Up With Freddie Welsh
For Lightweight Crown

By H. M. Ayres.

Jack Read, dapper little lightweight boxer, and formerly champion of Australia, was a through passenger by the steamer Ventura Monday. He is returning from the States to fight seven contests under the direction of Reginald (Snowy) Baker.

Read passed through Honolulu in 1913 in company with Sam Langford and Joe Woodman, under whose management the lightweight pugilist also was. Before leaving the colonies he had annexed the lightweight championship by securing a twenty-round decision over Herb McCoy, the holder of the title.

He fought thirty-eight battles in the States, losing only twice; once to Sam Robinson in Philadelphia on September 13, 1913, and on the other occasion losing a decision to Vic Moran in New Orleans, on March 1, of this year.

Later on he knocked out Moran in Memphis in three rounds. His fight with Robinson was the second after arriving in the States.

June 22, Read fought Frankie Callahan in St. Louis, knocking him out in the fifth round. Callahan had a short time before knocked out Joe Rivers in two rounds in Memphis, Tenn.

The Australian's last fight before leaving the mainland was July 1, his opponent being Benny Palmer, a Mexican managed by Joe Levy, and whom he knocked out in five rounds.

Other good men whom Read has met are Jim Coffey, K. O. Sweeney, Johnny Loe, Willie Beecher, Fred Yeller, Pat Moore, Jimmie Duffy, Young Brown, Walter Mohr and Bobby Waugh.

Will Fight Red Watson.
Read's first contest in Australia will be with Red Watson who passed through here with Battling Jimmy Murray and Manager Kearns, some time ago. The date of the fight is August 13. Herb McCoy and Young Chadbourne of New York, N. J., will be among other boxers he will meet.

The Australian likes America so much that he has taken out his first papers and intends to return to the States in December, where he will in future make his home. He stated while here that he has been promised a match with Freddie Welsh on his return.

Read has done well in the States, in fact better than any Australian boxer who has visited there since Bob Fitzsimmons.

Speaking of little men and matters on the mainland, Read said:

"Langford is talking of retiring shortly. He has purchased a farm in Merford, near Boston, and intends to settle down there in his last two fights, with McVey and Jeanette, he lost the decision. When I last saw him, in January, he was almost as broad as he was long and is finding it increasingly harder to train.

"Freddie Welsh is getting the money fast. He is fighting everybody who comes along and is not picking his opponents. He has fought more good men since winning the title than any champion that I can recall. I think that if Welsh had a twenty-round fight on his hands he would lay off for a while and get into good shape. For some time past Welsh has been boxing so often that he has had no chance of getting right and has consequently fought strictly on the defensive and watched out that no one took the title from him by putting over a haymaker.

Getting The Money.
"Welsh is getting the money, just the same, though, and is drawing fairly well. I think that, properly trained, he could fight twenty rounds to-day as well as he ever did.

"The fight between Welsh and White, which took place in New York, July 5, was a good one and interesting all the ten rounds. The majority of the papers said that Welsh won and gave him a good send-off, which is unusual for New York, where Welsh is unpopular on account of his defensive style of boxing. I think that Welsh's next fight over a route will be with Willie Ritchie, who is at present getting plenty of money with his stage act.

"I think it is practically certain that Coffey and Willard will fight ten rounds at Labor Day, at the Brighton Beach track, New York. If the contest takes place, there will undoubtedly be an immense attendance. I can't see where Willard has a chance to lose. Coffey has not a very hard punch, and has, besides, a glass jaw. Willard's defeat of Johnson will have given him confidence and this will furnish him with an aggressive spirit which was lacking in his last fight."

ALEXANDER'S WONDERFUL WORK IN PITCHERS BOX

Frederic Alexander is shooting at a no run, no hit record and so far has come within one hit of performing the stunt. Once Father of St. Louis touched him for a hit in the ninth inning with two men out, not a man having reached first. Next Wheat of Brooklyn spoiled his record when he singled in the eighth inning, being the only man to reach first base. The hit, Mr. Alexander gathered in a double off the pitcher, being the only man to reach first base. Some record this.

OAKS TROUNCE BEES SEALS WHIP BEAVERS ANGELS BEAT TIGERS

STANDING OF TEAMS

	W	L	Pct.
San Francisco	48	45	.514
Los Angeles	55	49	.529
Oakland	50	52	.490
Salt Lake	48	51	.485
Portland	45	48	.483
Vernon	48	54	.471

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—Elliott's men jumped into third place here yesterday after following a well-earned victory over the Bees. Score—Oakland 10, Salt Lake 4.

At Portland, San Francisco outplayed the Beavers and had little trouble walloping away with the game. Score—San Francisco 5, Portland 2.

At Los Angeles, Dillon's men celebrated their homecoming by taking a fall out of Doc White's men. Score—Los Angeles 6, Vernon 4.

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SAN FRANCISCO, July 14.—There was only one game in the Pacific Coast league series yesterday. Oakland defeated Salt Lake in a close and exciting game, which resulted in the score of two to one.

ATHLETES PICKED FOR EXPOSITION

Twenty-nine of Country's Cracks
Will Represent Eastern States
At Fair A. A. U. Meet

Secretary Frederick W. Rubien, of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States, has named the twenty-nine men who are to represent the Eastern States in the track and field championships at the Panama-Pacific exposition next month.

The selections follow:
100 yard dash—Alvah T. Meyer, Irish-American Athletic Club, New York.

200 yard dash—Irving T. Howe, Colby College.

440 yard run—J. E. Meredith, Meadow Brook Club, Philadelphia, and T. I. Halpin, Boston A. A.

880 yard run—J. T. Higgins, Holy Cross; Homer Baker, New York A. C. (latter if in condition); and D. S. Caldwell, Boston A. A.

One mile run—N. S. Taher, Boston A. A.; Abel R. Kiviat, Irish-American A. C., New York.

Five-mile run—Hannes Kolehmainen, Irish-American A. C., New York, and V. Kyronen, Millrose A. C., New York.

High hurdles—W. A. Savage, Jr., Boston A. A.

Low hurdles—H. M. Marton, Smart Set A. C., New York.

440 yard hurdles—W. H. Meenix, Boston A. A.

High jump—Wesley Oler, New York A. C., and Harry Barwise, Boston A. A.

Broad jump—T. Worthington, Boston A. A.; Platt Adams, New York A. C., and H. Bostock, Pittsburgh.

100 yard dash—J. M. Fahy, I. A. A. C., New York.

Pole vault—K. R. Curtis, New York A. C. (if in condition).

Discus throw—J. J. Cahill, Millrose A. C., New York.

Javelin throw—George Brondier, I. A. A. C., New York.

Three mile walk—Edward Reenze, Mohawk A. C., New York, and Fred Kaiser, N. Y. A. C.

16 pound shot—J. C. Lawler, I. A. A. C., Boston, and P. J. McDonald, I. A. A. C., New York.

16 pound hammer—Patrick Ryan, I. A. A. C., New York.

56 pound weight—Matt McGrath, I. A. A. C., New York.

GIANTS AND CUBS EACH WIN A GAME

Phillies Though Are Still In Front
And Play Tip Top
Ball

STANDING OF TEAMS

	W	L	Pct.
American League—			
Chicago	51	28	.646
Boston	46	29	.613
Detroit	49	31	.613
New York	49	40	.554
Washington	36	39	.480
St. Louis	30	45	.400
Philadelphia	28	47	.373
Cleveland	28	48	.368
National League—			
Philadelphia	40	33	.548
Brooklyn	39	36	.520
St. Louis	42	39	.519
New York	34	47	.423
Pittsburgh	35	59	.373
Cincinnati	32	56	.364
Boston	35	41	.461

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NEW YORK, July 15.—The Cubs and Giants played two rattling ball games here yesterday afternoon, the double-header ending in an even break. Scores—First game, New York 6, Chicago 5. Second game—Chicago 3, New York 1.

Following were the results of other games: At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 2, Cincinnati 1. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 6, St. Louis 3. No game at Boston between Boston and Pittsburgh, Pa.

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